



DATA COMMUNICATION SOLUTIONS

Data Communication Solutions, Inc. (DCS) was founded in 1991 by Darcy Running to provide affordable EDI consulting to companies that were just learning how to do business electronically. Running began working in data communication in 1983 and on EDI specifically in 1988 making him a leader in the automation age. After two decades of consulting, DCS is still helping companies of all sizes become more competitive using EDI.

TODAY

Maintaining our partnership with IBM, Oracle, and SAP through the years has proven beneficial as these leaders give us insider knowledge to be passed on to our customers. DCS is also members of standard groups GS1 and OAGi while supporting companies all over the U.S. as well as Canada and Mexico.

Although DCS is headquartered in Minnesota, DCS specialists and customers can be found all around the country. Often supporting customers remotely, specialists rely on remote access tools allowing faster service for a lower cost to customers. DCS specialists travel to customer sites for project kick-offs, training sessions, or for important "go-live" deadlines.

AUTOMOTIVE

DCS EDI Consultants Know the Automotive Industry



process started.

DCS has compiled a list of automotive companies that are currently EDI-active. View our list to see if any of these companies are a key customer of yours. Data Communication Solutions (DCS) today and we can ask the company's I.T. department (not the buyer) for their EDI guidelines to get the

As an AIAG member, DCS knows your industry and it's specific requirements. We bring you the most up-to-date knowledge with our weekly blog post, best paired with our years of experience.

COUNT ON OUR YEARS OF EXPERIENCE TO HELP YOU

Data Communication Solutions' (DCS) specialists know the Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) requirements of your industry's leaders. We can show you what others have done to gain their success and how to implement a system to benefit your needs. Your existing system may even be utilized to achieve a high Return On Investment (ROI) from automation.

Over 10,000 companies are EDI-active and using the resource for customer service, transport, and purchasing. Auto, truck, agriculture, and construction equipment companies support the ANSI X12 or EDIFACT standards published by AIAG, the industry standard setting organization. Our specialists have deep experience with these standards, for example working with CAT and John Deere. The automotive industry is a great fit for implementing an EDI system for highly effective and profitable use.



For companies serving aftermarket consumers, the standards of mass merchants and specialty retailers share commonalities. The twin components of EDI (format and transmission method) have evolved over the years to increase efficiency. Still, the differences in standards challenge cost-conscious, medium-sized manufacturers, so that's where we come into help.

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